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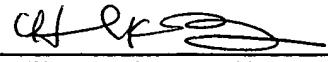
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 THIS IS THE 35 U.S.C 371 NATIONAL STAGE OF PCT/JP2005/007104 FILED

April 12, 2005

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the  Utility  Design  nonprovisional  provisional patent application of:

Inventor / Application Identifier: **Masaaki NISIKAWA**

See Inventor Information Sheet attached

For: **SHIPPING METHOD AND SHIPPING SLIP**

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This is a new patent application.

This is the 35 U.S.C. 371 National Stage Application of the above-identified PCT Application.

This is a provisional patent application.

This is a:  Continuation Application  
 Divisional Application  
 Continuation-in-Part Application  
of prior Application Serial No. .

Cancel in this application original claims \_\_\_ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:  
-- This is a  Continuation,  Divisional,  Continuation-in-part, of Application

Incorporation By Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

ENCLOSED ARE THE FOLLOWING:		
X	3	Sheets of drawings ( <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> formal <input type="checkbox"/> informal size A4 ).
X	21	Pages of specification including abstract and claims.
X	24	Total pages.
Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney		
		Newly executed
		Copy from prior application
		Inventors deleted; see attached statement
		Sequence Listing
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Preliminary Amendment
	Assignment to:
	Assignment is of record in prior application Serial No. .
	Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Information Disclosure Statement
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	MPEP § 2001.06(b) states that in a Continuation application, a Divisional application, or a Continuation-in-Part application, "the examiner will consider the prior art cited in the earlier application" and indicate in the first Office Action whether the prior art in the related earlier application has been reviewed. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that the examiner consider the art cited in the parent of this instant application and indicate in the first Office Action that such prior art has been considered.
	English translation
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PRIORITY CLAIMS	
	Applicant hereby claims the benefit of the filing date of the following provisional application(s) under the provision of 35 USC 119.
	Applicant hereby claims the benefit under the provisions of 35 USC 119 of the filing dates of the following applications as indicated below and which priority applications are hereby incorporated by reference in the present application:
	of which certified copies thereof
	will follow
	are enclosed
	have been filed in the International Bureau
	were filed in prior application:

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## CLAIMS FILED AND FILING FEE CALCULATION

ITEM	—	Rate	Applied Fee		
[ ] Basic Fee Utility	—	\$300			
[ ] Search Fee Utility		\$500			
[ ] Exam. Fee Utility		\$200			
[ ] Sheet Fee Utility	Ea. Add'l 50 pgs. over 100 pgs.	\$250			
Small Entity e-Filed Basic Fee Utility: SEE BELOW "Small Entity is Asserted."					
[X] Basic Fee - PCT Nat'l Stage	—	\$300	\$300		
[X] Search Fee - PCT Nat'l Stage	37 CFR 1.492(b)(3)	\$400	\$400		
[X] Exam. Fee - PCT Nat'l Stage	37 CFR 1.492(c)(2)	\$200	\$200		
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Claim Fees	Number Filed	Base Number	Number Extra over Base		
Total Claims	14	20	0	\$50	\$0
Independent Claims	4	3	1	\$200	\$200
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee	—			\$360	\$360
[ ] Small Entity Status is Asserted	Deduct 50% of above fees				(\$0)
[ ] Basic Fee Utility - e-filed and Small Entity				\$75	
[ ] Non-English Specification	—			\$130	\$0
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>					<b>\$1,460</b>

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- Please charge to Deposit Account No. 10-1250 any further fees due for filing or during prosecution of this application under: 37 CFR 1.16; 37 CFR 1.17; and 37 CFR 1.492.

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